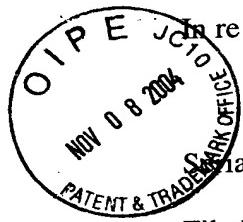


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In re Application of:)
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Serial Number: 09/883,508) Examiner: Li B ZHEN
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME
AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
MAILED JULY 6, 2004

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the outstanding non-final Office action mailed on July 6, 2004 (“Office Action”), in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted to extend the time for response through Monday, November 8, 2004.

I. Introductory Comments

This Amendment is a response to the non-final Office Action mailed July 6, 2004. Applicants respectfully request entry of the Amendment and reconsideration of all rejections in the Office Action.

Amendment to the claims begins on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Reply.